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NCC 101: Immigration Research Assignment

Answer the following questions using the NCC 101 LibGuide (http://ncc.libguides.com/NCC101) & library research tools (library.ncc.edu). You will be printing and attaching 3 articles to this assignment.

1. Using NASCAT, the library’s catalog, enter the book title Enrique’s Journey. Write the call number for this book below.

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2. On which floor of the library would you find Enrique’s Journey?

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3. Which publication listed below is a newspaper?
   A. The New York Times
   B. Forbes
   C. Time
   D. All of the above

4. Which publication listed below is a magazine?
   A. Time
   B. Newsweek
   C. The Nation
   D. All of the above

5. Using the Newsday database, locate the newspaper article “How Do you Measure Assimilation ‘Success’? A New Study says Canada Beats U.S. in Blending Immigrants into its Society” from May 2011. Read this article and attach it to this assignment.
   a. Who is the author?

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b. In this article Jacob Vigdor defines assimilation in 1 sentence. Write his definition of assimilation below:

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6. Using the database Academic Search Complete, locate the article Inside “The Life Of The Migrants Next Door” that appeared in Time magazine in 2006. Read this article and attach it to this assignment. This article contains a poll at the end. According to this poll, what percentage of the people polled believe that illegal immigration is a very serious problem in the U.S.?

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7. In the book Enrique’s Journey, Enrique travels from Honduras to North Carolina. Using the World Health Organization’s website (http://www.who.int/countries/en/), look up the country of Honduras. What is the gross national income per capita?

a. __________________________________________________________________________

b. Using the World Health Organization’s website, look up the United States. What is the gross national income per capita?

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8. Find a newspaper article that discusses The Dream Act. Make sure you print the article and attach it to this page. What database did you use to find this article?

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10. Using the *CountryWatch* database, list three facts about Honduras below.

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11. Using the *Films On Demand* database, locate the film segment “Building Fences” from the “Ties That Bind: Immigration Stories” title. Watch this film segment (3 minutes and 52 seconds). According to this film, how long is the border between Mexico and the United States?

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